Menomonie Heritage Tree Program

Program Overview

The primary goal of the Menomonie Heritage Tree Program is to stimulate an awareness and appreciation of our valuable urban forest.

Specific Objectives

- Locate and catalogue unique trees, publics or privatly owned, within the City of Menomonie.
- Reduce the indiscriminate removal of and damage to these unique trees.
- Increase public awareness and appreciation of the value of these trees.
- Inform tree owners about proper tree care practices.

Incentives to Nominate Trees to the Menomonie Heritage Tree Program

- Pride of ownership of a heritage tree.
- . Public recognition of such trees in the neighborhood and community.
- Protection of a heritage tree from potential impact to the tree by another party.
- 4. The program is voluntary. Tree owners can nominate trees to the program as well as remove trees from the program



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Urban Forestry Board
City of Menomonie
800 Wilson Avenue
Menomonie, WI 54751

CITY OF MENOMONIE URBAN FORESTRY BOARD

HERITAGE TREE PROGRAM



In Menomonie

Our city is made up of trees, many of which have special meaning to our community and to our lives. The City of Menomonie Heritage Tree Program gives our citizens the opportunity to our community, and to preserve our trees for their unique characteristics.

Official recognition can be made in connection with an important public or private event, or for any extraordinary traits possessed by a particular tree or grouping of trees such as size, age, or significance to a family.

If selected for an official designation, the tree will be included in our Heritage Tree Register kept at Menomonie City Hall. Your tree will be honored on Arbor Day and will be eligible to be included in the city's tour guide of Heritage Trees, if the owner so desires.

Anyone can nominate trees on public land or on their own property. Groups of trees on your property or your neighbors' can be nominated with your neighbor's permission. We encourage you to get neighbors involved.

The City of Menomonie Urban Forestry Board will evaluate and designate Heritage Trees.

Awards are made and celebrated annually during arbor Day festivities in April within the year in which the tree is selected.

If you have any questions, please call the Menomonie City Hall for more information, (715) 232-2180.

Heritage Tree Nomination Form

Check one category: <

Circle one:

A. Outstanding

Due to age, size or specimen

B. Rare/Unique

One or very few of a kind or unusual in form or growth

C. Historical / Landmark

Significance
recognized by virtue of its association with an historical event or building; or its significance as a landmark in the community

D. Significant Wildlife Habitat

Nesting site or rookery

☐ Personal Significance Category

Trees which have special meaning or personal significance to the nominee or his/her family.

☐ Native Tree Category

Trees identified as native to this region by the Native Plant List maintained at City Hall.

Tree Species

Phone number:Nominator's signature:	Address:	Nominator name and address (if different from owners)	YES NO	Is owner receptive to having the tree photographed?	YES NO	Is owner receptive to having tree viewed by the public?	Owner's signature:	Owner's phone number:	Owner's address:	Owner's name:	Private Property Information:	Approximate height of tree:	Circumference of truck at 4.5 feet above ground:	Measurement:	Location (address):	Botanical name (if known):	Common (American) Name: